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Ong to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number. Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 22197-00009-US **OFFICIAL** In re Application of Fatollah Youssellfar **Application Number** Filed 10/052,356-Conf. #3388 January 23, 2002 PIPE COUPLINGS Art Unit 3679 Examiner A. M. Dunwoody This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) 420.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) Five mon@s (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director in hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, % Deposit Account Number 22-0185 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) June 28, 2004 Date 07/07/2004 DJONES1 000<u>0000**4202) 337-7**1100523</u>56 Brian J. Hairston Telephone N: nber Typed or printed name EU-NOTE: Signatures of all . . . Inventors or assign

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